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Honorable Charles B. Kornmann United States District Judge United States Courthouse 102 Fourth Avenue SE, #408 Aberdeen, SD 57402

Re: Verizon Wireless et al. (v. State of South Dakota et al)

Court File No. 04-3014 Our File No. 040061-00001

Dear Judge Kornmann:

This is a response to your request of May 18, 2006 regarding the impact of recent FCC action on this case. Verizon Wireless does not believe that the referenced FCC action has any impact on the issues before the court in this case. The referenced FCC action related to the provision of broadband service on a retail basis, whereas this case relates to the exchange of telecommunications between wireless and wireline carriers, which is not on a retail basis.

Sincerely yours,

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